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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Miles B. Brennan et al.

Serial No:

09/458,579

Examiner: Seharaseyon,

Jegatheesan

Filed:

December 9, 1999

Group Art Unit: 1647

For: Methods of Identifying

Compounds Useful for the Regulation of Body Weight and

**Associated Conditions** 

## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

MAIL STOP - Amendment COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition	on for an extension	of the time to	o respond to <u>t</u>	the Office A	ction
dated May 19, 2003 fo	or a period of 3 mo	onth(s).	_		

Appl	icant is:
$\boxtimes$	a small entity, verified statement is

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	Extension Months	Other Than <b>Small Entity</b>	Small Entity	RECEIVED
	<u>-</u>			DEC 0 2 2003
	One Month	\$110.00	\$55.00	TEO STATES
	Two Months	\$420.00	\$210.00	TECH CENTER 1600/2900
$\boxtimes$	Three Months	\$950.00	\$475.00	
	Four Months	\$1,480.00	\$740.00	
	Five Months	\$2,010.00	\$1005.00	

## **Fee Payment**

$\boxtimes$	Attached is a check for \$475 for the Petition fee.	

- Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.
- Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_\_November 19, 2003

John Murray Registration No. 44,251 Attorney for Applicant

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